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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An optical module is provided. The optical module comprises a photo receiver having a receiving surface, a first positioning member having a side surface to which the photo receiver is secured, and a second positioning member having a first groove formed in an upper surface thereof for positioning an optical fiber, and a second groove formed in the upper surface thereof, the second groove extending from a side surface of the second positioning member to the first groove and being connected to the first groove, the second groove having at least a part of the photo receiver housed therein, and the side surface of the first positioning member being secured to the side surface of the second positioning member. The second positioning member can include a position indicator for substantially indicating a position of a center of a light spot which is to be produced on the receiving surface of the photo receiver by light emitted out of an end of the optical fiber positioned by the first groove.